

JAN 16 2007  
GJF  
175 3625

PTO/SB/21 (02-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

**TRANSMITTAL  
FORM**

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	09/872,514
		Filing Date	June 1, 2001
		First Named Inventor	David Hodson
		Art Unit	3625
		Examiner Name	Mark A. Fadok
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		Attorney Docket Number	355310-991201

<b>ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Postcard; Appendix A
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		

Remarks Response to the Office Action mailed on November 14, 2006.

<b>SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT</b>	
Firm Or Individual name	William G. Goldman (Reg. No. 42,590) DLA Piper US LLP
Signature	
Date	January 11, 2007

**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Typed or printed name	Susan Pingue		
Signature		Date	Jan. 11, 2007

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

American LegalNet, Inc.  
www.USCourtForms.com



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hodson et al.

Serial No. 09/872,514

Group Art Unit: 3625

Examiner: Fadok, Mark A.

Filed: June 1, 2001

Title: INTEGRATED ELECTRONIC SHOPPING CART SYSTEM AND METHOD

*I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as FIRST CLASS MAIL in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.*

January 11, 2007

Date

*[Signature]*

Signature

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed on November 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. An Appendix illustrating the marked-up changes to the claims follows the remarks section of this Response.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.